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Owing to the temporary dismemberment of both wells on West Cemetery Hill, and an increased use of water on account of the hot weather, the Water Company on Friday notified the consumers of the state of affairs and asked emergency in the use of the water. Active measures were at once taken and yesterday both pumps were again in full working condition and the supply in the reservoir was increasing. Economy in the use of water will enable the company to hold their own during the coming dry months. With a view to securing a full supply the managers have decided to dig another and larger well. The pump in the new well is to be replaced with one of larger size.

At a meeting of the managers on Friday evening, August 6, Mr. Coadwell, Mayor, Superintendent, to have charge of the works, collect the rents and enforce the regulations of the Company.

**Accidents.**

On Thursday evening Rev Chas Swartz, of this place was thrown from his bicycle, while riding carelessly on his chin "The little engine, Cutler Gooden's sister, 'Sheela' little son, had his right hand severely lacerated while playing with his little sister Dr J B O'Sullivan attended both cases.

On Saturday Mr Samuel Swift an employee of the P & R Railroad by a misstep in getting off a car fell and broke his left ankle, which Dr Walter H O'Neil adjusted.

Saturday morning Mr John Homan, butcher had a finger badly mangled by a piece of ice falling on it. Dr H L Diehl dressed the hurt.

While at work on a bridge last week Mr W. F. White had several fingers injured by a falling nail.

On Saturday evening Mr F G Gindling, at work on the Martin Winter buildings, Lincoln street, had a narrow escape. He had put a scaffold out of a third story window and gotten on it, when it gave way. He quickly caught the edge of a projecting beam, hanging until assistance reached him, severely cutting his hand on the sharp edge of the tin roof.

Yesterday Mr Cornelius Lott of Cumberland township fell from a load of straw and broke his left collar bone. Dr Scott adjusted the fracture.

**Pic-Nic at Round-Top.**

Rev J A Bill will have his annual picnic at Round-Top Park on Wednesday Aug. 10th. The usual amusements, consisting of dancing, music games &c., will be given there. Red Hill Orchestra to furnish music. Dinner and supper 25 cents each children 15 cents. Trains will leave Gettysburg for the Park at 8 and 10 a m 12 m and 2 p m Round trip tickets 15 cents children 10 cents. The public cordially invited 26 21

**TEXASERS—**Supt Thomas held excitement for Highland township at Quarry school house yesterday. The following teachers were selected for the ensuing term E L Granter, R S Stiles, Locust Grove, E L Granter, Quarry Church, Edna Mary and Mrs. Union township—Shilda, H A Hess, Valley Grove, Howard Single, Emily's Farm, Grove Pleasant Hill M M Wahler, Chestnut Hill, D L Sheely Scherbert's, B G Duncan Pine Grove.—Barkheimer. The salary has increased from \$25 to \$4 a month.

The Hanover school board has elected Mr John Shoely of New Oxford teacher of school No 1.

**FALL LEAVE**—Over a whole party of ladies and gentlemen on horseback were riding down Baltimore street one of the party Miss Ida Bowser sister of Mrs J C Cooke, was thrown from her horse in front of the Sebick building, and was carried into the City Hospital. Dr O G Gelfer found her unharmed and shortly after she walked home.

**TO DENVER**—Yesterday Messrs Eph H Mundell, of this place and T P Mack of Arendville, left to go to Harrisburg, Pa. to represent the Pennsylvania Denver Club of Knights Templar on their trip to the conclave at that city. The trip will include stops at many prominent places of interest.

**OCEAN TRIP**—Hon David Willis and Geo J Benner Esq, start today for a trip from Baltimore to Bremen on the North German Lloyd steamship Stuttgart. The Judge takes with him his grand son John Benner of Baltimore. Some time will be spent at Bremen Berlin and other points of interest most of the time being spent on the ocean.

**PROPERTY SALES**—Francis Coulson has sold 4 acres and improvements, in Hunting town township to George E Kunkel for \$700 cash.

Thomas G Neely, Executor of the will of Dr A B Dill, has sold 31 acres and 86 poles of Baltimore township, to Miss Maria T Lamb for \$400 cash.

**HARVEST ANNIVERSARY** services will be held in the Reformed church of this place on Sunday morning, August 14th.

**STONER'S CREW** arrived from Hanover on Wednesday morning and put up their tent on Mr Ray's lot, but the storm after dinner destroyed the tent and the crew were obliged to give. Heavy rains in the evening also prevented a performance. We understand the license was remitted.

**TWO TRAINS OF EPIDEMIC** cars each passed through here on Thursday night. The Pen Myr excursion of the Heidelberg returned church of York.

The same day five ear loads of colored people took the Pine Grove trip.

Now is the time to insure against Fire Lightning, Cyclones Lowest rates, no assessments, first class companies.

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**CHURCH FESTIVAL**—A Festival for the benefit of the Calvary L R church, on the road from Cashtown to Arendville, will be held on Friday and Saturday evenings, Aug 9 and 10. All are invited. 26 21

**MRS F D SCHNEIDER**, late with J H Myers has accepted the services of Mr Morrison, an expert cutter and tailor. While there room in the new McPherson building opposite the bank, all the rooms of the G W Weaver Co. San building adjoining the barber shop will be occupied. 19 17

**BRIGHT WOMEN** who are anxious to accomplish the best results for the least money should buy this fine Chandler Cook Store before they try it is a good baker and a perfect roaster and every new feature of practical worth is embodied in its construction. It has pleased thousands of housewives, and will please you. Sold by J A Smith, Gettysburg, Pa. 4

**REUNION**—On Saturday evening, July 23d, the children of Mr Ephraim Menchey held a family reunion at his residence, in Germany township, Adams county. Pa. His daughter, Mr Sarah Harmer and ten children, and his wife, Mrs. Mary Ann Frank Menchey and family and Harry A Menchey and family, from Harmony, Md. His ten grandchildren were present, also his two sisters, Mrs King and Mrs. Hahn, with Mrs King's husband and daughter and Miss Newman, of Two Taverns About ten children of the late Mr Menchey were present. All had an enjoyable time. Mr. Menchey died long remembered by all. 18 18

**ON Friday and Saturday evenings** quite a number of persons were attracted by the display of a night blooming cereus in J M Warner's store window.

**THE average servant girl** could not believe in pouring oil on the troubled waters, she'd rather pour it on the troubled fire.

**Struck by Lightning.**

During the heavy storm on Tuesday afternoon the barn of Mr G Danter, near Keystone mill road, in Conowingo township, was struck by lightning, (nearly) consumed with all the tools, machinery and seed some machinery. A load had just been brought in and the horses, Almonz managed to fasten doors. While trying to put in the stroke came, rendering him unconscious. He was at once taken out of the building and Dr J W O'Neal met upon the Doctor's arrival he saw young man severely shocked but not injured. The neighbors soon arrived and all the stock but two calves went along with wagons, harness and clothing. Prompt and efficient work was done by the doctor and his assistants prevented the flames reaching the barn. Mr Plank's loss is heavy and he is uninsured.

The same afternoon the stable Louis Snyder, near Pines church, township, was struck and entirely consumed together with the contents one of the calves was killed and the rest consumed. The loss is between \$4500. Great difficulty was experienced saving the house. We understand an insurance of \$225 in the Mutual Company.

**COURT**—At an Orphans' Court here last week, before Judge M an request was awarded on the tract of John Bucher, deceased, of Frederick County. Part of the real estate of A B Dill, deceased, to Marion J was confirmed.

The report of James Lawrence W Esq, Auditor to distribute balances hands of John B Schriver, executor of Robert L Myers, guardian of Wilbur A Delap minor child of A Dill, deceased filed and approved.

James W Echultz was appointed guardian of Margie M and David P minor grandchildren of Michael A Dearlock Bond in \$250 for each.

The inventory of the personal property of Robert L Myers, deceased, in the estate's office and amount to \$114 40.

**WARM WEATHER**—The intense weather of last week was unprecedented this place. On Tuesday Paul Jones, the thermometer registered 100° at 10 o'clock and 97° at 7.

**SALE**—Mrs Rev Demarest will sell of her household goods on Saturday, Aug 10th at 10 o'clock.

On Thursday forenoon, two belonging to Mr Calvin Walters, about four miles south of this place were driven to the same time while working in a field on the farm. An intense heat. People should be very cautious about working their horses during the weather, for they are liable to become exhausted and die at any time.—*Frederick Chronicle*.

**HICKS FOR ARREST**—Rev H I said that from July 21st to the 25th he was extremely warm with rain and that the month would end hot and wet. In fact, the weather was so oppressive in this section. Anguish with the atmosphere somewhat but will be hot again from the 4th to 8th, with storms on the 5th 6th and 7th. The heat will abate for two days, and the heat and storminess may be expected from the 11th to 15th. There will be preserversly warm spell on the 16th and 17th, the 22nd and 23rd, reaching a peak summer heat and drought. More rain ever before in August is promised for 27th to the end of the month.

**From Cashtown.**

Co Supt Thomas had his exam of teachers in Cashtown on Wednesday last week the weather being very rainy. There were sixteen members in the it being the largest in the twenty directors selected for the following, teaching the coming term Cashtown, Mead Vernon Miss Miriam Phil Scott's Miss L Miller, Puplar S Jun J Carrens Benjamin's, Harry E Newman's Jacob Sheely's, Brad Deane, Streishough's Eugene Strauss Paradise Miss Maude L Berdicke George Van Dykes, George Steele, George Van Dykes, George Steele, Birmingham Simon P Glover. Twenty salaries from \$25 to \$30 a month on the first Monday in October.

Mr Peter Kresky of Ottumwa has sent carpenters at work putting up a stable in Prairie Grove and will begin by lighting a week or more ago.

Miss Andrew Walker of Cashtown, Ill. the effect of a paralytic stroke.

An exchange says that while a number were hiding out for Mr Joseph Menchey's horse, a black mare, they bound a black brute nearly three feet into a shamb, and the first notice that of the reptile's presence was when a snakehead crawled out and glided off left hand. The snake was killed and returned for fifteen minutes when it was seen crawling back. The owner, Samuel Zimmerman drew all eyes open. A few were about to run away thinking man was getting crazy but when they followed management on the left arm behind his short-sleeve on his left arm he showed a snake skin inch long. It is the black snake got in while he reached a sheaf.

**EXCURSION TO PINE GROVE PARK**—James Lindberg School will take a picnic at Pine Grove Park on Wednesday August 10th. Train leaves Gettysburg 7 30 a m , and returning leaves the 7 40 a m and 8 o'clock p m Adults .50 for round trip Children under 12 half rate. Should the weather prove unfavorable the excursion will be held on Friday, the 11th next unless otherwise notified. 26 21

**NEW SHOE STORE**—Messrs J H and J F Tipton have leased into a ship in the shoe-making business and of Mrs Stewart's room on Baltimore where they will keep all kinds of new and do repairing at reasonable prices ask their old customers and the public generally to give them their patronage.

**DR C P GETZLER** is now preparing attend to all town and country calls and residence, Chambersburg street floor to City Hotel.

**From Winksville.**

Two men were hurt at the slate quarry last Thursday. The wounds are not it is thought that Mr William Baum's bones broken in his foot and E W had his ankle fractured.

A terrific fire raged passed through the slate yard and destroyed damage extra and also some very fine trees.

The brick layers began laying brick the Lutheran church on last Wednesday. The plasterers are very busy putting on the new M L church.

Some of our farmers are busy cutting corn.

Mr A Schlosser has staked off the ground for his new house. It is to be a very one, a store-house and dwelling combined. To the G A men of this place are to hold a bean soup here on August 6. We learn that W M Kahn met a very painful accident last week, one man stepping on his foot, fracturing bone very badly.

**RATS** are natives of Asia, and their westward belong to comparative modern times. The fact that rats have manifested their voracity in this country is it is strange that it was unknown of the Ganges in ancient times.

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